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Subject: King 'ABDALLAH - Grand Mufti Report Number: RLB-2429
Reconciliation

Place
Acquired: Beirut, Lebanon

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Source: Date of Report: 12 Feb 51

- Source states that the British government is putting strong
 pressure on King SABDALLAH of Jordan to induce him to reconcile
 his differences with the former Grand Mufti of Palestine,
 Hajj Amin al-HUSAYNI. The object of this is to create a more
 cohesive Jordan encompassing arab Palestine.
- Source is of the opinion that, in view of the fact that the Egyptian government would be happy to have the Mufti leave that country, that individual may accept a reconciliation: with King *ABDALLAH.
- 3. The attendance of the Mufti at the Moslem Conference in Karachi is proving to be a great boost to his prestige, which had just about hit an all-time low toward the end of 1950.

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